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1. PARA 2 BELOW CONTAINS TEXT OF LETTER RECEIVED
FROM S. NISAR ALI SHAH, JOINT SECRETARY, ECONOMIC
AFFAIRS DIVISION, MINISTRY OF FINANCE AND ECONOMIC
AFFAIRS RE PROPOSED USG RUPEE CONTRIBUTION TO WORLD
BANK PROJECTS.

2. BEGIN TEXT. THANK YOU FOR YOUR LETTER OF
JANUARY 23, 1984 REGARDING U.S. CONTRIBUTION OF
US DOLS 200,000 TO 300,000 FROM THE U.S.-OWNED
RUPEES TO THE WORLD BANK SPONSORED INCOME
GENERATING PROJECT FOR REFUGEE AREAS AND TO SAY
THAT THE GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN HAVE NO OBJECTION
TO THE PROPOSED CONTRIBUTION. THIS IS HIGHLY
APPRECIATED.

I MAY, HOWEVER, MENTION THAT UNDER THE AGREEMENT
BETWEEN GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN AND UNHCR, A TOTAL
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DONATION OF US DOLS 20 MILLION IS ANTICIPATED TO BE
DEPOSITED IN THE TRUST FUND ACCOUNT FOR THE FINANCING
OF THE PROJECT. THE U.S. GOVERNMENT MAY, THEREFORE,
LIKE TO CONSIDER MAKING A SUBSTANTIAL DOLLAR CONTRI-
BUTION TO THE ACCOUNT FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE
PROJECT. END.TEXT. HINTON

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